

STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; progressive supranuclear palsy (PSP) is a rare neurodegenerative disease affecting the nerve cells that control mobility, balance, walking, speech, swallowing, vision, behavior, cognitive abilities, and quality of life; and

WHEREAS; approximately 20,000 Americans have PSP, with symptoms usually beginning after age 60; and

WHEREAS; the cause of PSP is unknown, and no known treatments or cure exist, but some symptoms may be managed with medication or other interventions; and

WHEREAS; new discoveries are being made about PSP, specifically through the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, a component of the National Institutes of Health, but further research is critical as the disease can become severely disabling within three to five years of onset; and

WHEREAS; this month, the state of Wisconsin joins all Wisconsinites in raising awareness of PSP and its impact on affected individuals and their families, and in remembering all those we have lost to the disease;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim June 2021 as

PROGRESSIVE SUPRANUCLEAR PALSY AWARENESS MONTH

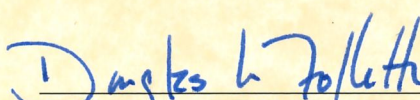
throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance
to all our state's residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and caused the
Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin
to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in
the City of Madison this 28th day of
May 2021.


TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR



By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State